

Dear Jim,

8/10/87

I've finished reading Hart's testimony, I believe it was edited and the handwritten notes were not placed in the record. That he held them in his hands while testifying, which is what I recall, is not in the testimony, either. They used a typed oversimplification of what I'm pretty clear in remembering, that the man I think may have been ~~MOORE~~ Miler (all the withheld names are in Legend) included considering flying Nosenko over the ocean and dropping him.

After reading this I'd like to annotate Helms' testimony for Mangold, if a copy is not asking too much of you, please. Helms also testified, if the word can be used, about the mysterious disappearance of CIA Oswald records.

A couple of other copies, if they present no problem for you: the CIA's statement in C.A.75-1448 (?) that they had to withhold because Nosenko's treatment was intended as a model of good treatment to entice others to defect; and that they had to give me what they'd given the HSCA.

The Hart testimony indicates that the CIA has and gave HSCA two reports on what they got from Nosenko about Oswald. Should be requested. Can't see any proper claim to any exemption. When you get what I ask for above, why don't you join me in asking for it, using my rearlier request and their promise to the court as the basis?

The appropriate place for the Hart testimony about burying Nosenko alive in the sea is pp. 524-5. Not there or anywhere else.

I gave my tapes of the hearings to Wisconsin years ago and can't now ask Dave for them, as we'll discuss if we haven't.

Re Moschella's 8/7/87 to you, here today, I suggest that because he undertakes to persuade by reasoning that it would be appropriate for me to write him a similar letter, reasoning and referring to the cost of litigating, to tell him what I am able and willing to attest to. And I can tick off a long list! If he does not consider what I'd say I'd attest to, we can attach it to the affidavit. I think it a bit unusual for him to write you this way and I do think that it calls for a response in the same spirit and as a gesture at reducing what would be costly to litigate.

I'd rather not ask Hil to retype it but I'd do it double-spaced and would correct the typing legibly. She is just beginning to get her voice back but she is still a little weak and tired.

Best,

